hypothetical net balances for each access element. Such hypothetical net balances shall be computed in accordance with §§ 69.608 to 69.610.

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## § 69.608 Carrier Common Line hypothetical net balance.

The hypothetical net balance shall be equal to a Carrier Common Line revenue requirement for each such company that is computed in accordance with subpart F of this part.

## § 69.609 End User Common Line hypothetical net balances.

- (a) If the company does not participate in the association tariff for such element, the hypothetical net balance shall be zero.
- (b) If the company does participate in the association tariff for such element, the hypothetical net balance shall be computed by multiplying an amount that is computed by deducting access revenues collected by such company for such element from an End User Common Line revenue requirement for such company that is computed in accordance with subpart F of this part by a factor that is computed by dividing access revenues collected by all such companies for such element by an End User Common Line revenue requirement for all such companies that is computed in accordance with subpart F of this part. For purposes of this calculation, access revenues collected shall include any revenues foregone because of a voluntary reduction made pursuant to  $\S 69.104(r)(7)$ .

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## § 69.610 Other hypothetical net balances.

- (a) The hypothetical net balance for an access element other than a Common Line element shall be computed as provided in this section.
- (b) If the company does not participate in the association tariff for such element, the hypothetical net balance shall be zero.
- (c) If the company does participate in the association tariff for such element, the hypothetical net balance shall be computed by deducting access revenues

collected for such element from the sum of expense attributable to such element and the element residue apportioned to such company. The element residue shall be apportioned among such companies in the same proportions as the net investment attributable to such element.

(d) The element residue shall be computed by deducting expenses of all participating companies attributable to such element from revenues collected by all participating companies for such element.

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## § 69.612 Long term and transitional support.

A telephone company that does not participate in the association Common Line tariff shall have computed by the association:

- (a) Long term support obligation. (1) Beginning July 1, 1994 and until December 31, 1997, the Long Term Support payment obligation of telephone companies that do not participate in the NECA Common Line tariff shall equal the difference between the projected Carrier Common Line revenue requirement of association Common Line tariff participants and the projected revenue recovered by the association Carrier Common Line charge as calculated pursuant to §69.105(b)(1).
- (2) For the period from April 1, 1989 through June 30, 1994, the Long Term Support payment obligation shall be funded by all telephone companies that are not association Common Line tariff participants and do not receive transitional support pursuant to §69.612(b). The percentage of the total annual Long Term Support requirement paid by each telephone company in this group that is not a Level I or Level II Contributor shall equal the number of its common lines divided by the total number of common lines of all telephone companies paying Long Term Support. The remaining amount of Long Term Support requirement shall be allocated among Level I and Level II Contributors based upon the amount of each Level I and Level II Contributor's 1988 contributions to the association Common Line pool in relation to the total amount of 1988 Common Line pool